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## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING "CERTIFICATION OF MEDICAL NECESSITY FOR ABORTION"

- 1. Date of Service: The date the abortion was performed. This can be typed or handwritten.
- 2. Patient's Full Name: The name of the Mother can be typed or handwritten.
- 3. Patient's Social Security Number: Mother's Social Security Number can be typed or handwritten.
- 4. Condition: Mark the block indicating the applicable reason for the abortion. This can be typed or handwritten.
- 5. Supporting Documentation: Mark the block that applies to the type of supporting documentation. This can be typed or handwritten.
- 6. Patient Address: Patient's complete address. This can be typed or handwritten.
- 7. Physician Signature: The physician must sign his/her name in his/her own handwriting.
- 8. Physician Name, Social Security Number and Address: The physician's name, Social Security Number and complete address. This can be typed or handwritten.

## **CERTIFICATION OF MEDICAL NECESSITY FOR ABORTION**

DATE OF SERVICE:
Based on my professional judgment, I certify that an abortion is medically necessary in the case of:
Patients' Full Name:
Patients' Social Security Number:3
for the following reason:
(CHECK ONE) 4  ( ) There is credible evidence to believe the pregnancy is the result of rape or incest.
( ) The abortion is medically necessary as the woman suffers from a physical disorder physical injury, or physical illness, including a life endangering physical condition caused by or arising from the pregnancy itself that would place the woman in danger of death unless an abortion is performed.
SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION: 5
<ul> <li>(PLEASE CHECK THOSE THAT APPLY AND ATTACH DOCUMENTS)</li> <li>( ) Documentation from a law enforcement agency indicating the patient has made a credible report as the victim of incest or rape.</li> </ul>
( ) Documentation from a public health agency, Department of Human Services or Counseling agency (such as a Rape Crisis Center) indicating the patient has made a credible report as the victim of incest or rape.
( ) Medical records documenting the life saving nature of the abortion.
( ) Other (Please Specify):
PATIENT ADDRESS: PHYSICIAN PERFORMING ABORTION:
6         SIGNATURE:         7           PHY. NAME:         8           PHY. SS#:

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( ) Other (Please Specify):
PATIENT ADDRESS: PHYSICIAN PERFORMING ABORTION:
SIGNATURE: PHY. NAME: PHY. SS#: PHY. ADD.:

THIS FORM MAY BE DUPLICATED